

OVERVIEW MERCER ROBBINSVILLE TWP

21-5510-050 SHARON SCHOOL 234 SHARON ROAD ROBBINSVILLE, NJ 08691-9741

GRADE SPAN PK-03

This school's academic performance is very high when compared to schools across the state. Additionally, its academic performance is about average when compared to its peers. This school's college and career readiness is high when compared to schools across the state. Additionally, its college and career readiness is about average when compared to its peers.

Performance Areas	Peer Percentile	Statewide Percentile	Percent of Targets Met
Academic Achievement	48	81	100%
College and Career Readiness	42	75	100%
Student Growth			N/A

Improvement Status
N/A
Rationale
N/A

Very High Performance is defined as being equal to or above the 80th percentile.

High Performance is defined as being between the 60th and 79.9th percentiles.

Average Performance is defined as being between the 40th and 59.9th percentiles.

Lagging Performance is defined as being between the 20th and 39.9th percentiles.

Significantly Lagging Performance is defined as being equal to or below the 19.9th percentile.

<u>Peer Schools</u> are schools that have similar grade levels and students with similar demographic characteristics, such as the percentage of students qualifying for Free/Reduced Lunch, Limited English Proficiency programs or Special Education programs.

Academic Achievement

This school outperforms 81% of schools statewide as noted by its statewide percentile and 48% of schools educating students with similar demographic characteristics as noted in its peer school percentile in the performance area of Academic Achievement. Additionally, this school is meeting 100% of its performance targets in the area of Academic Achievement.



Academic Achievement measures the content knowledge students have in language arts literacy and math. For elementary and middle schools, this includes measures of the school's proficiency rate on both the Language Arts Literacy and Math sections of the New Jersey Assessment of Skills and Knowledge (NJASK). A proficiency rate is calculated by summing the count of students who scored either proficient or advanced proficient on the assessment and dividing by the count of valid test scores.

College and Career Readiness

This school outperforms 75% of schools statewide as noted by its statewide percentile and 42% of schools educating students with similar demographic characteristics as noted in its peer school percentile in the performance area of College and Career Readiness. Additionally, this school is meeting 100% of its performance targets in the area of College and Career Readiness.



College and Career readiness measures the degree to which students are demonstrating behaviors that are indicative of future attendance and/or success in college and careers. For all elementary and middle schools, this includes a measurement of how many students are chronically absent. For schools with middle school grades, it also includes a measurement of how many students take Algebra I in eighth grade.



DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

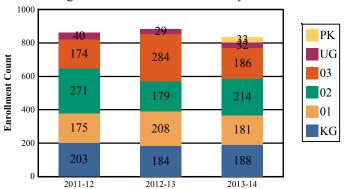
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Enrollment by Grade

This graph presents the count of students who were 'on roll' by grade in October of each school year.

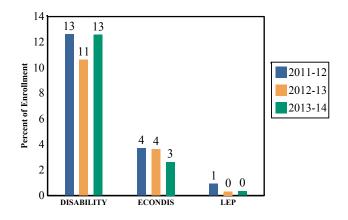


Total School Enrollment Trends

Note: "UG" represents the count of students who are 'on roll' in this school but who are educated in ungraded classrooms, meaning that the classrooms may contain students from multiple grade levels.

Total School Enrollment				
2011-12	863			
2012-13	884			
2013-14	834			

Enrollment Trends by Program Participation



Current Year Enrollment by Program Participation

-	0	-
2013-2014	Count of Students	% of Enrollment
Students with Disability	105	13%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	22	2.6%
Limited English Proficient Students	3	0.4%

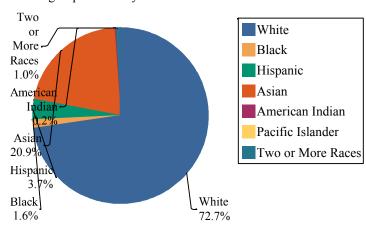
Language Diversity

This table presents the percentage of students who primarily speak each language in their home.

2013-14	Percent
English	93.3%
Telugu	0.8%
Chinese	0.8%
Hindi	0.6%
Spanish	0.5%
Tamil	0.5%
Other	3.5%

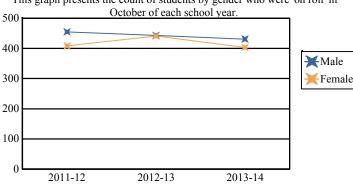
Enrollment by Ethnic/Racial Subgroup

This graph presents the percentages of enrollment for each subgroup defined by the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001



Enrollment by Gender

This graph presents the count of students by gender who were 'on roll' in



	Male	Female
2011-12	455	408
2012-13	443	441
2013-14	431	403



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Academic Achievement measures the content knowledge students have in language arts literacy and math. In elementary and middle school, this includes the outcomes of the New Jersey Assessment of Skills and Knowledge (NJASK). The first column - Schoolwide Performance - in the table below includes measures of the total schoolwide proficiency rate in both language arts literacy and math. The second column - Peer School Percentile - indicates where the school's proficiency rate compares to its group of peer schools. For example, a school that has a peer school percentile of 65 has a proficiency rate that is higher than 65% of its peer schools. The third column - Statewide Percentile - indicates where the school's proficiency rate compares to schools across the state. For example, a school that has a statewide percentile of 30 has a proficiency rate that is higher than 30% of all schools with NJASK scores statewide. The last column - Percent of Targets Met - presents the percentage of progress targets met as defined by the NJDOE's NCLB waiver.

The Summary row presents the averages of the peer school percentiles, the average of statewide percentiles and the percentage of statewide targets met.

Academic Achievement Indicators	Schoolwide Performance	Peer Percentile	State Percentile	Percent of Targets Met
NJASK Language Arts Proficiency and above	86%	65	88	100%
NJASK Math Proficiency and above	89%	30	73	100%
SUMMARY - Academic Achievement		48	81	100%

NCLB Progress Targets - Language Arts Literacy

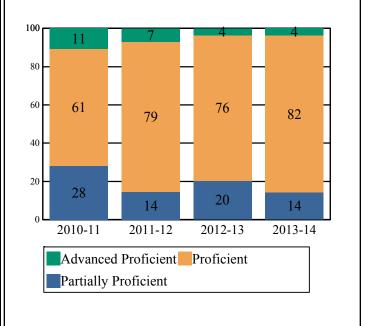
This table presents the Progress Targets as uniquely calculated for each subgroup in each school under NJDOE's NCLB waiver. The methodology - as defined by the United States Department of Education - is calculated so that each subgroup will halve the gap between their 2011 proficiency rate and 100% proficiency by 2017.

Subgroups	Total Valid Scores	Pass Rate	Target	Met Target?
Schoolwide	156	85.9	79.1	YES
White	114	82.4	79.9	YES
Black	-	=		
Hispanic	-	-		
American Indian	-	1		
Asian	34	100	76.8	YES
Two or More Races	-	1		-
Students with Disability	-	-		
Limited English Proficient Students	-	-		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-		

YES* = Met Progress Target(Confidence Interval Applied) Data is presented for subgroups when the count is high enough under NCLB suppression rules.

Proficiency Trends - Language Arts Literacy

This graph presents the percentage of students who scored in the Advanced Proficient, Proficient and Partially Proficient categories of the statewide Language Arts Literacy assessment over the prior four years.





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NCLB Progress Targets - Math

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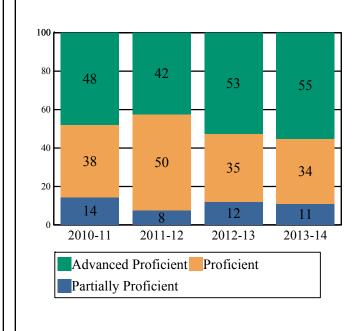
Subgroups	Total Valid Scores	Pass Rate	Target	Met Target?
Schoolwide	156	89.1	89.2	YES*
White	114	86.8	90	YES*
Black	-	-		
Hispanic	-	-		
American Indian	-	-		
Asian	34	100	85.8	YES
Two or More Races	-	-		
Students with Disability	-	-		
Limited English Proficient Students	-	-		
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-		

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Proficiency Trends - Math

This graph presents the percentage of students who scored in the Advanced Proficient, Proficient and Partially Proficient categories of the statewide Math assessment over the prior four years.





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NJASK Results - Language Arts Literacy Grade Level - 03

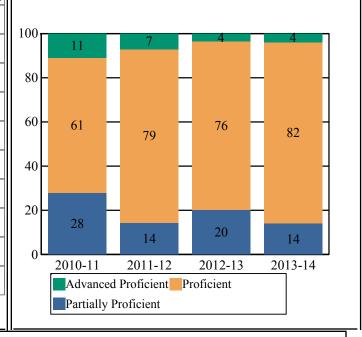
This table presents the grade level proficiency results, as measured by NJASK, in Advanced Proficient, Proficient, and Partially Proficient categories for all appropriate subgroups.

Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	4%	82%	14%
White	4%	79%	18%
Black	-	-	-
Hispanic	-	-	-
American Indian	-	-	-
Asian	3%	97%	0%
Two or More Races	-	-	-
Students with Disability	0%	62%	38%
Limited English Proficient Students	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	-

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NJASK Proficiency Trends - Language Arts Literacy -Grade Level - 03

This graph presents the grade level outcomes in the categories of Advanced Proficient, Proficient, and Partially Proficient over the last four years.



2013 National Assessment Educational Progress (NAEP)

The National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP) is the largest national assessment of what our nation's students know and can do. NAEP assesses fourth-, eighth-, and twelfth-grade students in subjects such as reading, mathematics, science, and writing. The reporting of NAEP scores on state report cards is a federal mandate. The results of NAEP are also published as the Nation's Report Card, and are available for the nation, states, and, in some cases, urban districts. The NAEP scores on the report card include grades four and eight 2013 reading and math scores for New Jersey which are the last scores published. For subgroup outcomes, visit:

http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/1314/naep/naep4read.html For more information, visit http://nces.ed.gov/nationsreportcard/

	Proficiency Percentages				
Grade 4 Reading	State/Nation	Below Basic	Basic	Proficient	Advanced
All Students	State (NJ)	25	33	30	12
All Students	Nation	32	33	27	8

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	Proficiency Percentages				
Grade 8 Reading	State/Nation	Below Basic	Basic	Proficient	Advanced
All Students	State (NJ)	15	39	40	7
All Students	Nation	22	42	32	Δ



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NJASK Results - MATH Grade Level - 03

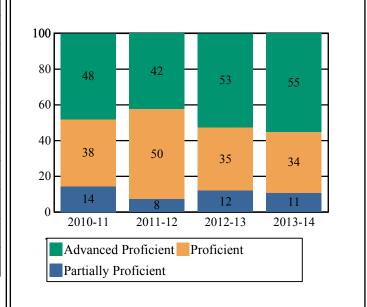
This table presents the grade level proficiency results, as measured by NJASK, in Advanced Proficient, Proficient, and Partially Proficient categories for all appropriate subgroups.

Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	55%	34%	11%
White	49%	38%	13%
Black	-	-	-
Hispanic	-	-	-
American Indian	-	-	-
Asian	79%	21%	0%
Two or More Races	-	-	-
Students with Disability	29%	33%	38%
Limited English Proficient Students	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	-

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NJASK Proficiency Trends - Math - Grade Level - 03

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Proficiency Percentages

Grade 4 Math	State/Nation	Below Basic	Basic	Proficient	Advanced
All Students	State (NJ)	13	38	39	10
All Students	Nation	17	41	34	8

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Grade 8 Math	State/Nation	Below Basic	Basic	Proficient	Advanced
All Students	State (NJ)	18	34	33	16
All Students	Nation	26	38	27	9



COLLEGE AND CAREER READINESS

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Students in both elementary and middles schools begin to demonstrate college readiness behaviors long before they even enter high school. Among the behaviors that research has shown to be indicative of success and college and career readiness are regularly attending school and challenging themselves with rigorous course work. The table presents the percentage of students who were chronically absent during the prior school year. A chronically absent student is a student who was not present for any reason for 10% or more of the total days possible for that individual student.

The first column - Schoolwide Performance - represents the outcomes for these particular indicators in this school. The second column - Peer School Percentile - indicates how the school's performance compares to its group of peer schools. For example, a school whose peer school percentile is 65 in Chronic Absenteeism has a lower Chronic Absenteeism than 65% of its peer group. The third column - Statewide Percentile - indicates how the school's performance compares to schools across the state. The fourth column - Statewide Target - provides the statewide targets for each of these indicators. The last column - Met Target? - indicates whether the School Performance met or exceeded the statewide target.

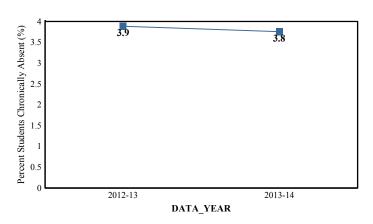
The Summary row presents the averages of the peer school percentiles, the average of statewide percentiles and the percentage of statewide targets met.

College and Career Readiness	School	Peer Rank	Statewide Rank	Statewide	Met Target?
Indicators	Performance	(Percentile)	(Percentile)	Target	
Chronic Absenteeism (%)	4%	42	75	6%	YES
Summary					100%

Chronic Absenteeism - Number of students in the most recent school year that missed 10% or more of the instructional days in the school year divided by the total number of students enrolled.

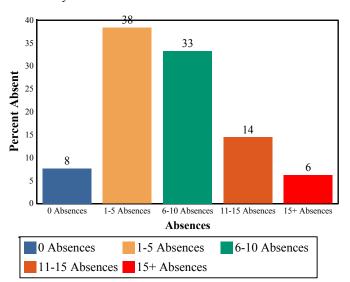
Chronic Absenteeism Trend

This graph presents the percentage of the enrolled students who were chronically absent for the past two years.



Absenteeism

The chart below presents the percentage of students who were absent in each category of absence: 0 absences, 1-5 absences, 6-10 absences, 11-15 absences, and more than 15 absences. An absence is defined as being 'not present' and includes the days missed regardless of whether they were determined to be excused or unexcused by the school.





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This section of the performance report presents data about the achievement gap that exists within a school - as measured by the difference between the students' scale scores at the 25th and 75th percentile in the school, the so-called Interquartile Range (IQR). Taken together with an understanding of the overall and average achievement levels in the school, the IQR furthers an understanding of the range of student outcomes that exist in a school. A school gap smaller than the state gap indicates that the school's range of student outcomes is narrower than the state's while a school gap larger than the state gap indicates that the school's range of student outcomes is larger than the state's.

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NJ ASK Language Arts 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	259	300
75th	230	221
50th	218	207
25th	204	188
0th	157	100

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	26	33

Grade Level - 03

NJ ASK Math 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	300	300
75th	280	268
50th	250	229
25th	221	200
0th	154	100

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	59	68



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Length of School Day

This table presents the amount of time a school is in session for a typical student on a normal school day.

	School
2013-14	6 Hrs. 45 Mins.

Student Suspension Rate

This table presents the percentage of students who were suspended one or more times during the school year.

	School
2013-14	0.0%

Instructional Time

This table presents the amount of time that a typical student is engaged in instructional activities under the supervision of a certified teacher.

2013-14	School
Full Time	6 Hrs. 0 Mins.
Shared Time	0 Hrs. 0 Mins.

Student Expulsions

This table presents the number of students who were expelled from the school and district during the school year.

	School
2013-14	0

Student to Staff Ratio

This table presents the count of students per faculty member or administrator in the school. All staff are counted in full-time equivalents.

2013-14	School
Faculty	13
Administrators	417

SCHOOL PEER GROUP SHARON SCHOOL 21-5510-050

This table presents the list of peer schools in alphabetical order by county name that was created specifically for this school (highlighted in yellow). Peer schools are drawn from across the state and represent schools that have similar grade configurations and that are educating students of similar demographic characteristics, as measured by enrollment in Free/Reduced Lunch Programs, Limited English Proficiency or Special Education Programs.

Programs, Limited English Proficiency or Special Education Programs.							
COUNTY NA	ME DISTRICT NAME	SCHOOL NAME		GRAD ESPAN	FRPL	LEP	SpED
BERGEN	FAIR LAWN BORO	RADBURN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	03-1450-110	KG-05	8.5%	6.2%	23.9%
BERGEN	OAKLAND BORO	MANITO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	03-3760-060	KG-05	4.0%	0.0%	18.5%
BERGEN	RAMSEY BORO	JOHN Y DATER ELEMENTARY	03-4310-060	04-05	2.5%	0.0%	11.8%
ESSEX	CALDWELL-WEST	SCHOOL WASHINGTON ELEMENTARY	13-0660-110	KG-05	3.4%	0.3%	11.9%
	CALDWELL	SCHOOL					
ESSEX	MILLBURN TWP	SOUTH MOUNTAIN SCHOOL	13-3190-100		3.2%	0.9%	13.1%
ESSEX	NUTLEY TOWN	SPRING GARDEN SCHOOL	13-3750-090	PK-06	3.7%	2.0%	10.5%
HUNTERDON	CLINTON TWP	ROUND VALLEY	19-0920-040		4.3%	0.2%	19.2%
MERCER	ROBBINSVILLE TWP	SHARON SCHOOL	21-5510-050	PK-03	2.6%	0.4%	9.4%
MERCER	W WINDSOR-PLAINSBORO REG	J.V.B. WICOFF ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	21-5715-050	PK-03	6.0%	6.2%	4.4%
MONMOUTH	HOLMDEL TWP	INDIAN HILL SCHOOL	25-2230-050	04-06	2.8%	0.0%	14.1%
MONMOUTH	MARLBORO TWP	ASHER HOLMES ELEMENTARY	25-3030-070	01-05	4.3%	1.3%	15.4%
MONIMOLITH	MIDDI ETOWN TWD	SCHOOL LINCROFT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	25 2160 120	. IZ C. 0.5	2.00/	0.00/	0.60/
MONMOUTH	MIDDLETOWN TWP				2.9%	0.0%	8.6%
MONMOUTH	MIDDLETOWN TWP	NUT SWAMP ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	25-3160-145	KG-05	2.5%	0.4%	10.9%
MORRIS	MADISON BORO	TOREY J. SABATINI SCHOOL	27-2870-110	KG-05	4.5%	1.2%	15.3%
MORRIS	MENDHAM BORO	HILLTOP SCHOOL	27-3090-050	PK-04	3.3%	0.7%	12.4%
MORRIS	MONTVILLE TWP	VALLEY VIEW SCHOOL	27-3340-055	PK-05	4.3%	1.7%	19.1%
MORRIS	PEQUANNOCK TWP	HILLVIEW SCHOOL	27-4080-055	KG-05	4.3%	0.0%	21.8%
MORRIS	PEQUANNOCK TWP	STEPHEN J. GERACE SCHOOL	27-4080-100	KG-05	5.2%	4.1%	11.0%
MORRIS	RANDOLPH TWP	IRONIA SCHOOL	27-4330-070	KG-05	3.8%	0.8%	13.1%
MORRIS	WASHINGTON TWP	FLOCKTOWN-KOSSMANN	27-5520-030	PK-05	3.4%	0.6%	13.6%
MORRIS	WASHINGTON TWP	ELEMENTARY SCHOOL OLD FARMERS ROAD SCHOOL	27-5520-040	KG-05	4.1%	1.2%	19.9%
PASSAIC	WAYNE TWP	PACKANACK ELEMENTARY	31-5570-110	PK-05	2.8%	0.0%	14.2%
SOMERSET	BERNARDS TWP	SCHOOL OAK STREET SCHOOL	35-0350-060	VC 05	2 60/	0.20/	10.6%
SOMERSET	BRIDGEWATER-RARITAN	HAMILTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL				0.2%	
SOMERSET	REG	HAWILTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	33-0333-003	KG-04	2.170	0.0%	8.2%
SOMERSET	HILLSBOROUGH TWP	WOODS ROAD ELEMENTARY	35-2170-085	PK-04	3.6%	1.5%	14.1%
SOMERSET	MONTGOMERY TWP	SCHOOL VILLAGE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	35-3320-105	03-04	4.2%	1.5%	17.7%
SUSSEX	SPARTA TWP	SPARTA ALPINE SCHOOL	37-4960-070	01-03	3.7%	1.0%	13.7%
UNION	BERKELEY HEIGHTS TWP	WILLIAM WOODRUFF SCHOOL	39-0310-050	02-05	4.4%	3.1%	11.1%
UNION	NEW PROVIDENCE BORO	ALLEN W. ROBERTS SCHOOL	39-3560-055	PK-06	2.8%	0.8%	9.2%
UNION	NEW PROVIDENCE BORO	SALT BROOK SCHOOL	39-3560-090	KG-06	3.1%	0.8%	10.5%
UNION	SCOTCH PLAINS-FANWOOD REG	J. ACKERMAN COLES	39-4670-085	PK-04	3.2%	0.0%	12.4%